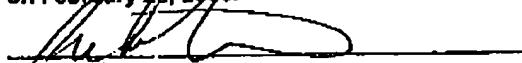


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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests, under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), a two (2) month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated October 3, 2005; that is, up to and including March 3, 2006. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge

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Deposit Account No. 14-1431 the amount of \$450.00 as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(2) and the Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 14-1431 for any additional fees which may be due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or 1.17.

In response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2006, please amend the above-identified application, as follows: